APPENDIX F.

(TRANSLATION OF KANARESE).

To

The Dewan of Mysore.

Representation of the undersigned Towns-people of Bangalore, submitted in accordance with Resolutions adopted at public meeting held at Krishnashetti's Chattram near Yelahanka gate, in pursuance of notice published on 4th October 1891.

Respectfully showeth—

I. The tank called Sampigenhallikere when full, was the means of some supply of water in drawing wells (in the Town). Latterly, that is, some 20 years since, the sources of supply to the tank being cut off, the tank itself has been getting no supply of water, and in consequence of this there has been little or no water in the wells, and we are put to much inconvenience and trouble. It is therefore prayed that the tank might be rendered as efficient as before, and made to hold an abundant supply of water.

II. Thereby, if the tank is full with abundant rain, the wells in the Town would get a supply which would last 5 or 6 months in the year, and for the rest of the year, people would go for water day and night to the wells at the Yelahanka gate, Hutchanna's well and Karanji well near the Taluk Cutcherry.

III. The inconvenience for want of water complained of is greatest in that part of the Town which lies between Nagartapete road, St. Martha's Hospital road, Alsurpete Police Station gate and Yelahanka road, and also among people who live in the west of this tract. The trouble to which people are put is indescribable and cannot be realized, unless personally seen or inquired into.

IV. The people therefore pray that the tank near Kadumallesvara temple may be improved and water conveyed therefrom through pipes to the streets of the several Pettas. Should this be done, they bind themselves to pay water-tax.

Dated 4th October 1891.

Signed by 235 individuals.

TRANSLATION OF APPENDIX G.

MAY GOD PROMOTE THE WELFARE OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA, HIS HIGHNESS THE YUVARAJA (HEIR APPARENT) AND WISE PRIME MINISTER MR. K. SHESHADRI IYER.

To

The Dewan to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

THE PRAYER OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PEOPLE.

1. In the Mysore State, education was hidden treasure, its benefits being thereby beyond the reach of the poorer classes; these were carrying on a livelihood under difficulties. But in accordance with the orders of His Highness the Maharaja and with a view that all may enjoy the beneficial effects of education, the good Dewan Mr. K. Sheshadri Iyer, C. S. I., established schools throughout the country, and people are now generally educated and increasingly happy.

2. Moreover, great facilities for the prosperity of the country have been secured by establishing the practice of inviting Representatives of the people with the object of promoting the loyalty, devotion and affection of the people, and ascertaining from them their wants and circumstances and devising suitable measures and educating them, and explaining to them the affairs of Government so that these may be known as plainly as gooseberries on the palms of the hand.

3. The news of famine and popular suffering in other Provinces causing great anxiety, and indications of famine being apparent here in consequence of cultivators keeping back their stocks of grain, and merchants largely exporting their stores, the Government prepared to start relief works. But by the Grace of God on our Maharaja, timely rains fell, averted distress and made people happy. No better proof is required of God's favor on our Maharaja.

4. What fear then need there be for people living under the protection of such a Maharaja.

5. We are greatful for the relief from anxiety which we have obtained from the Dewan's address delivered to us when we are here assembled to pay our homage to His Highness the Maharaja.

In conclusion, we heartily pray that the Almighty may bestow long life and prosperity on His Highness, so that his numerous subjects may continue long to enjoy their existing happiness.

(Signed.) Chinnappa of Chintamani Taluk.

" Ramachandrappa of Bagepalli Taluk.

" Akkihebbal Krishnappa.

" Arkalgud Venkatakrishnashetti.

" Ramaswamaiengar of Anekal

and 98 others.